TOWN OF ABINGDON MAY 1, 2006 COUNCIL MEETING ADJOURNED TO THURSDAY, MAY 4, 2006 – 8:00 A.M. DOWNSTAIRS MEETING ROOM MUNICIPAL BUILDING

The May 1, 2006 adjourned meeting of the Abingdon Town Council was held on Thursday, May 4, 2006 at 8:00 A.M. in the Downstairs Meeting Room at the Municipal Building.

A. ROLL CALL

Members of Council present: Mayor Lois H. Humphreys

Dr. French H. Moore, Jr., Vice Mayor

Mr. Robert M. Howard Mr. Edward B. Morgan

Members of Council absent: Mr. Thomas C. Phillips, Jr.

Comprising a quorum of the Council

Administrative Staff: G. M. Newman, Town Manager

Greg Kelly, Town Attorney Mark Godbey, Finance Director Linda F. Wilson, Town Clerk

Mr. Morgan made the motion to request the Town Attorney to revise the existing ordinance pertaining to the Virginia Creeper Trail regarding the operational hours from dusk to dawn, on the portion of the trail that is owned and governed by the Town of Abingdon, with the exception of special use permits. Mr. Howard seconded the motion.

The roll call vote was: Mr. Morgan – Aye Mr. Howard – Aye

Dr. Moore – Aye Mayor Humphreys – Aye

The motion carried.

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Mr. Howard made the motion that Dr. French H. Moore, Jr., Vice Mayor, represents Council on the proposed A rtisan's Center project. Mr. Morgan seconded the motion.

The roll call vote was: Mr. Morgan – Aye Mr. Howard – Aye

Dr. Moore – Abstained Mayor Humphreys – Aye

The motion carried.

Work continued on the budget for fiscal year 2006-2007. The following additions were made:

Add \$20,000	V eteran's M em orial Park
Add \$10,000	Virginia Creeper Trail Fencing
Add \$10,000	Parks & Recreation (Fitness Trail Circuit)
Add \$25,000	Parks & Recreation (Miscellaneous Capital Outlay)
Add \$10,000	Depot Artists (HVAC System, Repairs/Maintenance)
Add \$ 1,000	Southwest VA Training Symposium
Add \$ 1,000	Trans Dominion Express
Add \$ 3,000	Overmountain Victory Trail
Add \$30,000	W hite's M ill Foundation
Add \$15,000	Penn House (Foundation)
Add \$10,000	Ecumenical Faith in Action
Add \$ 2,500	Crossroads Medical
Add \$10,000	Boys & Girls Club
Add \$ 3,000	Farm er's M arket
Add \$25,000	Barter Scene Shop
Add 3%	Town M anager's Salary

Mr. Morgan made the motion to approve and advertise the proposed budget as amended. Dr. Moore seconded the motion.

The roll call vote was: Mr. Morgan – Aye Mr. Howard - Aye

Dr. Moore – Aye Mayor Humphreys – Aye

The motion carried.

With no further business the meeting was adjourned. The time was 9:40 A.M.

Lois H. Humphreys, Mayor

Linda F. Wilson, Clerk